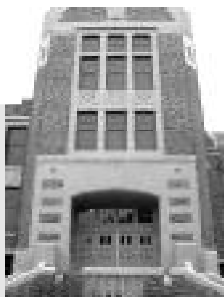




## Progress continues on Renton High School construction



### Upcoming activities:

- August 26, Staff retreat
- August 27, "Tribe Day" grades 10-12, pick up schedules, get ASB cards, etc.
- August 28, Freshman orientation, pick up schedules, get ASB cards, etc.
- September 3, "Mini registration"
- September 4, First full day of school

### Completed projects include:

- Remodeling of more than 25 classrooms
- New library
- New commons area
- Updated "West Wing" housing most classrooms, library and other teaching areas
- Attendance office
- Counseling office
- Paved parking for staff, students and Performing Arts Center (PAC)
- Exterior safety lighting
- Irrigation system

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Staff and students will see big changes when they return to Renton High School on September 3. Classrooms have been renovated, there is a new library and a beautiful new commons area. Additionally, new parking and walking areas have been constructed keeping students and staff out of dirt and mud. Sidewalks and paved parking areas have replaced the dirt and plywood-covered areas around the building. A new sidewalk leading from the student parking area on South Tobin Street to the main entrance door (the double red doors on

the "West Wing" of the building) has been installed.

The project has had set backs



The new library



The setbacks included an earthquake, an archeological dig, and

causing the time line for completion moved to the spring of this school year.

fixing old construction methods to meet new standards.

### Parking

Staff and temporary student parking lots are ready for the start of school. Parking permits for students are again limited this year: about 80 parking spots will be prepared near the site of the new tennis courts off of South Tobin Street. Staff parking is off 2nd Street. The staff

parking lot off will not have through-access to the student parking area.

ping off students. There is no parking at the drop off site as work to complete the Performing Arts Center will continue throughout the day.

### Student drop off

If parents wish to drop off students, it will be very important for cars to move quickly through the paved area in front of the school off of 2<sup>nd</sup> Street. The area is small and will have to accommodate quite a few cars drop-

### Breakfast and lunch served

Breakfast and lunch will be served while the kitchen is being remodeled. We will serve a variety of items. New this year, students and staff will be able to pre-order Deli Sandwiches and Salads (orders must be placed the day before). Look for order forms when school starts.



Prep work for sidewalk installation near staff parking lot and main entrance on west side